GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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SETTING UP OF ADVANCED MEDICAL SCIENCE RESEARCH TREATMENT CENTRE
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received any proposal for setting up of an Advanced Medical Science Research and Treatment Centre in West Bengal ;

(b) if so, the details thereof ; and

(c) the time by when such a centre is likely to be set up?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) to (c) There is no proposal for setting up an Advanced Medical Sciences Research and Treatment Centre in West Bengal. However, there is a proposal to upgrade Kolkata Medical College to the level of AIIMS like Institution under Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY). The PMSSY scheme has been cleared by the Expenditure Finance Committee and will now be placed before the competent authority for approval.